

**STANDARDS PRESENTATION
TO
CALIFORNIA OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD**

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PROPOSED STATE STANDARD,
TITLE 8, CHAPTER 4

Amend Section 1504 to read:

§1504. Definitions.

(a) The following definitions shall apply in the application of these Orders. The singular number includes the plural, and the plural includes the singular.

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Lumber.

(A) Douglas Fir or Equivalent. "Selected lumber" or other suitable material of proper size, having strength at least equal to the specified Douglas fir members.

(B) "Selected Lumber." Douglas fir that has been graded under standards as high as those followed by the West Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau or by the Western Wood Products Association as suitable for a bending stress of 1,500 psi.

(C) "Structural Plank." Douglas fir graded for scaffold plank use and which has an allowable bending stress of at least ~~1,900-2,200~~ pounds per square inch (psi). Select structural scaffold plank, as described in Paragraph 171-b of the ~~September 1, 1970~~, January 1, 2000 Standard Grading ~~and Dressing~~ Rules No. ~~16~~ 17, published by the West Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau and Scaffold No. 2 as described in Paragraph 58.12 of the ~~3rd 1998~~ Edition, ~~July 1, 1974~~, of the Western Lumber Grading Rules for Western Lumber, published by the Western Wood Products Association, satisfy this definition.

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NOTE: Authority cited: Section 142.3, Labor Code. Reference: Section 142.3, Labor Code.

Amend Section 3622 to read:

§3622. General.

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(f) Work Levels.

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(5) The work level platform of scaffolds (towers) shall be made of wood, aluminum, or plywood planking, steel or expanded metal, for the full width of the scaffold, except for necessary openings. Work platforms shall be secured in place. All planking shall be two-inch (nominal)

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Douglas Fir suitable for scaffold planks, or equivalent. Minimum allowable bending stress shall be ~~1,900~~ 2,200 psi.

NOTE: Select structural scaffold plank, as described in Paragraph 171-b of the ~~September 1, 1970, January 1, 2000~~ Standard Grading and Dressing Rules No. ~~16~~ 17, published by the West Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau and Scaffold No. 2 as described in Paragraph 58.12 of the ~~3rd 1998~~ Edition, ~~July 1, 1974, of the Western Lumber Grading Rules for Western Lumber,~~ published by the Western Wood Products Association, satisfy this requirement.

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